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<b>Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal</b>		Application Number	10/749,118-Conf. #3277
Address to:		Filing Date	December 30, 2003
Mail Stop RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450		First Named Inventor	Richard L. BOYD
		Art Unit	1633
		Examiner Name	Q. Nguyen
		Attorney Docket Number	286336.151US1/NOR-012CP2

**This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application.**

Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application.

1. **Submission required under 37 CFR 1.114** Note: If the RCE is proper, any previously filed unentered amendments and amendments enclosed with the RCE will be entered in the order in which they were filed unless applicant instructs otherwise. If applicant does not wish to have any previously filed unentered amendment(s) entered, applicant must request non-entry of such amendment(s).
- Previously submitted. If a final Office action is outstanding, any amendments filed after the final Office action may be considered as a submission even if this box is not checked.
    - Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_
    - Other \_\_\_\_\_
  - Enclosed
    - Amendment/Reply (19 pp)
    - Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
    - Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
    - Other Return Postcard
2. **Miscellaneous**
- Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) required)
  - Other \_\_\_\_\_
3. **Fees** The RCE fee under 37 CFR 1.17(e) is required by 37 CFR 1.114 when the RCE is filed.
- The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, any underpayment of fees, or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 08-0219. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.
    - RCE fee required under 37 CFR 1.17(e)
    - Extension of time fee (37 CFR 1.136 and 1.17)
    - Other \_\_\_\_\_
  - Check in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ enclosed
  - Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038 enclosed)

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<b>SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT REQUIRED</b>			
Signature	<u>Ann-Louise Kerner</u>	Date	October 9, 2007
Name (Print/Type)	Ann-Louise Kerner, Ph.D.	Registration No.	33,523

I hereby certify that this paper (along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as First Class Mail, in an envelope addressed to: MS RCE, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Dated: October 9, 2007

Signature: Rochelle Capobianco (Rochelle Capobianco)



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Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).

## FEE TRANSMITTAL For FY 2008

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT	(\$)	405.00
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**Complete if Known**

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**METHOD OF PAYMENT** (check all that apply)

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For the above-identified deposit account, the Director is hereby authorized to: (check all that apply)

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**FEE CALCULATION****1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES**

<u>Application Type</u>	<u>FILING FEES</u>		<u>SEARCH FEES</u>		<u>EXAMINATION FEES</u>	
	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>
Utility	310	155	510	255	210	105
Design	210	105	100	50	130	65
Plant	210	105	310	155	160	80
Reissue	310	155	510	255	620	310
Provisional	210	105	0	0	0	0

**2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES**Fee Description

Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)

<u>Small Entity</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>
	50	25
	210	105
	370	185

Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)

Multiple dependent claims

<u>Total Claims</u>	<u>Extra Claims</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee Paid (\$)</u>
63	- 63 =	x	=

HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20.

<u>Multiple Dependent Claims</u>	
<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee Paid (\$)</u>

<u>Indep. Claims</u>	<u>Extra Claims</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee Paid (\$)</u>
6	- 6 =	x	=

HP = highest number of independent claims paid for, if greater than 3.

**3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE**

If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequence or computer listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)), the application size fee due is \$260 (\$130 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).

<u>Total Sheets</u>	<u>Extra Sheets</u>	<u>Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee Paid (\$)</u>
_____	- 100 =	/50 = (round up to a whole number) x	_____	=

**4. OTHER FEE(S)**

Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)

Other (e.g., late filing surcharge): 2801 Request for continued examination (RCE) (see 37 ...    405.00**SUBMITTED BY**

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